PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 30th May 1910.

It is hereby notified for general information that the contract for lac cultivation in the undermentioned State Forests of the Tumkur District, during the years 1910-1913, *i.e.*, from 1st July 1910 to 30th June 1913, will be sold by public auction at 12 noon on the 28th June 1910.

State Forests.

1. Manchaldore. 2. Tirtharampura

The highest bidder shall, immediately after the close of the sale, pay a deposit of one-sixth of the contract amount in cash.

If he fails to do so, the contract will be resold at once at his risk and he will forfeit all gain and be liable for any loss that may arise from resale.

2. The sale shall be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer, who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason for doing so.

3. The successful bidder shall, within three days after the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him, pay into the treasury one-third of the contract amount, including the deposit, plus local cess of one anna per rupee on this sum.

Should he fail to do so, the deposit will be forfeited and the contract will be resold by the officer conducting the sale.

4. The sale effected under the above para will be at the risk of the defaulting bidder who will forfeit all gain and in the event of a loss by such resale shall make good the deficiency between the total amount payable by him for the whole period under the terms of the original sale and the total amount payable by the successful bidder at the resale.

If the deficit amount be not paid on demand, it will be liable to be recovered as arrears of revenue.

5. The contractor shall sign an agreement binding himself to observe such conditions as are laid down by the District Forest Officer, and it should be executed within one week from the date on which confirmation of the sale is intimated to him; in default, the deposit will be forfeited and the right resold.

6. The balance of the contract amount with local cess of one anna per rupee on this sum shall be paid in two instalments, before the end of June 1911 and 1912.

In the event of this amount not being paid, the right to collect lac will be stopped and the whole of the balance of the lease amount and local cess will be recovered as arrears of revenue.

H. SRINIVASA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

HEGGADDEVANKOTE SUB-DIVISION.

Notification dated 18th May 1910.

It is hereby notified for general information that the following quantities of timber will be sold by public auction in the depots of the Heggaddevankote Sub-Division, Mysore District, on the dates specified against each depot, by the Sub-Division Forest Officer or the respective Range Officer :—

Name of depot	Date of sale	Description	Cubical contents	Remarks
(1) Begur Depot	10th June 1910	Teak logs	1,000	
		Do juntis	400	
		Honne logs	100	
		Do juntis	50	
		Matti logs	400	
		Do juntis	100	
		Other kinds	200	
(2) Antersante Depot	12th June 1910	Teak logs	1,000	
		Do juntis	400	
		Honne logs	100	
		Do juntis	50	
		Matti logs	500	
		Do juntis	100	
		Other kinds	200	
(3) Hampapur Depot	14th June 1910	Teak logs	800	
		Do juntis	500	
		Matti logs	500	
		Do juntis	250	
		Other kinds	150	

More or less.

Terms of sale.

1. The purchaser of each lot is required to pay on the spot one-fourth of the sale amount to the officer who holds the sale, failing which the lot will be resold at the risk of the purchaser, who shall be required to make good any loss on resale but shall not participate in any profit thereof.

2. The balance of the purchase money shall be paid within fifteen days from the date of sale, failing which one-fourth deposit already paid will be forfeited to Government and the lot resold at the risk of the purchaser as mentioned in para 1 above.

3. No timber can be removed by any purchaser until it has been paid for in full and until a license to remove is obtained for it.

4. If timber is left in the depot unremoved for more than ninety days from the date of sale, the purchaser will be required to pay depot rent at Rs. 12 per cent per annum on the purchase money from the date of sale.

P. S. GOVINDA RAO,
Sub-Division Forest Officer.

HASSAN DISTRICT.

Dated 28th May 1910.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the office of the District Forest Officer, Hassan, up to the 12th June 1910, for the purchase of the undermentioned minor forest produce:—

No.	Name of depot	Description of minor forest produce	Approximate quantity	Remarks
1	Arsikere.	Gallnut of Hirikalgudda, Arsikere Range ...	8,000 maunds....	More or less.
	Do ...	Do of other Ranges of the District ...	2,000 do.	

2. Tenders should specify the name of the produce and the rate offered per maund. No tenders will be accepted for any quantity less than 4,000 maunds of gallnut of the Arsikere Range and 2,000 maunds of the rest of the district.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 only in currency notes as earnest money; in default of which tenders will be rejected. Covers containing tenders should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Hassan, and duly registered, insured and superscribed clearly in red ink "Tenders for gallnut."

4. Tenders will be opened in the Forest office by the District Forest Officer at Arsikere on Monday the 13th June 1910 at 2 P.M., in presence of such of the tenderers as may choose to be present The above officer reserves to himself the power to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason therefor. The formal and final acceptance of the tender will be subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests.

5. The acceptance of the tender will be *forthwith* communicated to the successful tenderer and the earnest money of the rest will be returned to them.

6. Within seven days of receipt of notice of acceptance of the tender the successful competitor shall credit the balance of the purchase money in full into any Government Treasury of the State after deducting the earnest money already paid. In default of which the acceptance of the tender will be revoked, the earnest money being forfeited to Government and the produce resold.

7. The sale effected under the above circumstances at the risk of the defaulting competitor shall not entitle him to participate in any gain but in the event of a loss resulting therefrom he shall be liable to make it good. If the deficit amount be not paid within the time prescribed by the District Forest Officer, it will be recovered as revenue demand.

8. If the produce is left in the depot unremoved by the end of June 1910, the purchaser will be required to pay depot rent at six pies per maund per month from the date of acceptance of the tender and thereafter to accept the produce in whatever condition it may be at the time of delivery, reasonable amount of care for its protection having been taken by the local subordinates.

B. I. SHAMA RAO,
District Forest Officer.